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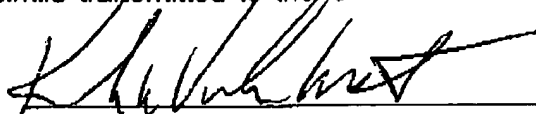
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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/656,325 First Named Applicant: Steven D. Nelson
 Examiner: Troy Chambers Art Unit: 3641 Status of Application: Pending

Supervisor: Michael J. Carone

Tentative Participants:

(1) Michael Oblon (2) Troy Chambers (3) _____
 (4) _____ (5) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: March 9, 2006 Proposed Time: 11:00 (AM ☒/PM ☐)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

| Issues (Rej., Obj., etc) | Claims/ Fig. #s | Prior Art | Discussed | Agreed | Not Agreed |
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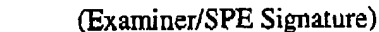
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